

Thank You Letter

You Support Our Future

Thanks to you, the YMCA of Orange County had another successful year of amazing Afterschool Care, life-changing scholarships and enriching programs for our community.

Your donations provided daily opportunities for kids to receive homework help, build healthy habits, create in the arts, and technology that engages kids in the learning process, one of which was our “Get in Gear” STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) Summer Camp. The campers who attended, participated in a summer of educational fun including learning projects, field trips, outdoor activities, sports and more!

Children were able to experiment with STEAM ideas in real-world situations, and explore through hands-on activities. This program allowed our students to ignite their curiosity in science, technology, engineering, arts and math.

Our programs aim to create opportunities for youth to build relationships and feel a sense of belonging as they question, investigate, build, test, solve problems, analyze, communicate findings and perform cognitive thinking for the world of tomorrow.

This book illustrates the heart of one of the Y’s focus areas, which is youth development that you and other people like you helped achieve this year. Thank you for being a champion in supporting tomorrow’s future leaders and equipping them with the skills and knowledge to succeed.